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In re application of:

DUNMIRE, et al.

Serial No.: 08/046,337

Filed: April 12, 1993

For: BACKFLOW PREVENTOR WITH  
ADJUSTABLE OUTFLOW  
DIRECTION

Examiner: J. Rivell

Art Unit: 3407

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Sir:

Your petitioner, CMB INDUSTRIES, of 1550 North Peach, Fresno, California, represents that petitioner is owner by assignment of application Serial No. 08/046,337, filed April 12, 1993, for BACKFLOW PREVENTOR WITH ADJUSTABLE OUTFLOW DIRECTION. The assignment, filed in connection with Serial No. 07/848,574, now U.S. Patent 5,226,441, which was the parent of the present Rule 60 continuation application was recorded at reel 6184, frame 0758 and reel 6215, frame 068. Your petitioner hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application, which would extend beyond the full statutory term of any patent granted from United States Patent Application No. 4,991,622 and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to any patent granted from United States Patent Application No. 4,991,622, this agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, the grantee's successors or assigns.

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Date:

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**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

Applicant: Dunmire, et al.

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CMB INDUSTRIES, a California corporation  
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certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

A. ☒ An assignment from the inventors of U.S. Serial No. 07/848,574, now U.S. Patent 5,226,441, which was the parent of the present Rule 60 continuation application identified above. The assignment was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 6184, Frame(s) 0758, and Reel 6215, Frame(s) 068 or for which a copy thereof is attached.

OR

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The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

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